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(if foreign priority is claimed)15. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
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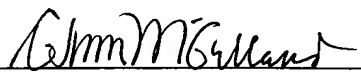
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